

LISTING OF THE PENDING CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing of claims in the application.

98. An isolated nucleic acid molecule comprising a nucleic acid encoding the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO: 17.

99. The isolated nucleic acid molecule of claim 98 encoding the polypeptide of SEQ ID NO: 17.

100. A vector comprising the nucleic acid of claim 98.

101. An isolated host cell comprising the vector of claim 100.

102. A process for producing a GFR α 3 polypeptide comprising culturing the host cell of claim 101 under conditions suitable for expression of said polypeptide and recovering said polypeptide from the cell culture.